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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The response due date was reset by the Examiner in an Interview Summary mailed April 21, 2003 (copy included). The February 20, 2003 PTO mailing included only a cover sheet of the Office Action; no body was included. In view thereof, in the Interview Summary, the Examiner granted Applicant's request to have the period for response set to start on the date that the complete Office Action was received by the Applicant; March 31, 2003 (copy of received facsimile included).

> CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1,8(a) I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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The PAIRS system indicates that a Notice of Restarted Response Period was mailed May 8, 2003. Applicant did not receive a copy. Therefore, the actual period for response is uncertain. Applicant authorizes payment of \$110 for a one-month extension of time by charging Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any Petition for Extension of Time fee for underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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